IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re application of) Group Art Unit: 2854
Günther Oskar ECKERT) Examiner: Ren Luo Yan
Application No.: 10/586,993)
Filed: July 21, 2006)
For: PRINTING MACHINE WITH A DEVICE AND A METHOD FOR COMPENSATION OF A LONGITUDINAL ELONGATION AND A TRANSVERSE ELONGATION OF A PRINTED WEB PRINTED IN DIFFERING PRINTING COUPLES)))))

SECOND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of March 20, 2009 in the subject U.S. patent application, in which a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application, as filed, as amended by the Preliminary Amendment filed with the application, by the Second Preliminary Amendment filed June 27, 2008, and by the Amendment filed November 18, 2008, as follows: